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Williamson Iris

1936

The Longfield Iris Farm

Bluffton, Indiana

Plan to Visit the Long Field

WHEN our planting of Iris is in full bloom, it's a sight that many people think worth coming miles to see. For those enthusiasts who have read descriptions of modern Iris and who wish to compare notes, our planting offers a special opportunity. Here the Iris lover may roam at will, appraising, comparing, making notes. All varieties are plainly labelled and attendants in the field will cheerfully answer questions.

The Iris are loveliest in early morning or late afternoon, after the blazing sun has lowered a little. Usually the field is at its height during the blooming season, around Decoration Day, but, of course, it depends entirely on seasonal changes. This year, we believe, it will be a few days later.

We'd like to have you come during the blooming season. Bluffton lies 25 miles south of Ft. Wayne—paved roads in all directions. The garden is at the west end of Market St. If no attendant is there when you arrive, come to 419 West Market St. and we'll see that someone takes care of you.

MARY WILLIAMSON.

Introduction and Terms

(Please read carefully before ordering)

PRICES in this catalogue supplant those in all previous catalogues and price lists. Unless otherwise indicated prices are for one plant delivered prepaid to the customer in the United States only. However, **orders amounting to $2.00 or less are not prepaid and must include 25c postage** when order is given to us. On orders amounting to $25 or more a discount of 10% will be allowed. **Please do not pay for order in stamps over 3c denomination.** If you are interested in five or more plants of any variety we shall be glad to quote you a price on the number desired.

The size, quality and labeling of every plant are guaranteed to be satisfactory to the customer. If there is any complaint when plants are received, do not return them but give them the best possible treatment you can and write us at once, indicating the adjustment desired.

We cannot too strongly recommend July and August planting. However we will ship on any date you wish or as near to that time as we can. **We cannot ship before June 15 nor after November 1.**

Brief directions for planting are given on the reverse of the duplicate order sheet in this catalogue.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Due to severe price cutting the past few years, we take this opportunity of advising that we absolutely will meet, on *our own introductions,* any price quoted during the present season by a reputable dealer.

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New Longfield Introductions for 1936

Our 1936 introductions are not to be considered in computing the 10 per cent quantity discount mentioned on page 2.

Williamson Originations

Jinny Sue (Wmsn. 1659, 1936). (No. 892 X —). A lovely distinct variegata of gold and pink effect. The flowers are large with very broad segments, perfectly formed with flaring falls. The stalks are 40 inches tall, excellently branched, wide and low, with as high as seven flowers to a stalk.

Detail: S. arching cupped, Mustard Yellow with slight flush of very pale Phlox Purple, base golden Mustard Yellow. F. flaring, same as S. but very heavily overlaid with Phlox Purple shading out to margins of Mustard Yellow. Color of the F. carried well up into the haft, then Empire Yellow veined Maroon. Beard, Light Cadmium, not prominent. Very vigorous, floriferous and fragrant. **$5.00**

Monal (Wmsn. No. 1618). (Cavatina X —). An unusual blend of brown, golden buff and violet heavily overlaid with gold. The flower is large, of very heavy substance and a smooth well rounded form. It has all the dignity, poise and beautiful coloring of the pheasant for which it was named.

Detail: S. arching cupped; Buckthorn Brown shot with Deep Purplish Vinaceous shading out at margin and base to golden buff; base very solid. F. same as S. very heavily flushed and overlaid Manganese Violet, margin golden buff. Golden buff well up into the haft. Beard: Deep Chrome with a distinct white line. 40 inches. Very fragrant. **$10.00**

Wabash (Wmsn. No. 1767) (Dorothy Dietz X —). A new amoena that is a great improvement over the well known Dorothy Dietz both in color and form.

Detail: S. arching cupped, white, base slightly tinged Martin's Yellow. F. slightly flaring Hyacinth Violet with a very definite white margin. Beard Light Cadmium. 39 inches. **$10.00**

Cook Originations

New Types of Dwarf Bearded

These two new dwarfs are the result of very careful and painstaking work by Mr. Paul Cook. Out of approximately 27 seedlings, ranging through shades of yellow and many shades of red these two were selected as the best. The third year from seed each plant gave forth from 50-70 bloom stalks. The flowers resemble *arenaria* in size and form and are similar to Socrates in height but their stems are slender and wiry. Unlike *arenaria* the blossoms stay open all day, sometimes lasting until the second. Their fountain like foliage make them especially suitable for the rock garden. Their blooming time is May.

Keepsake (Cook, 1936). (Socrates X I. arenaria [flavissima]). Small flowers of brightest yellow on slender, graceful stems. Daintier and of cleaner color than the usual run of yellow dwarfs. Flowers two inches high, two and one-half inches wide; S. Pinard Yellow; F. Citron Yellow; beard: Cadmium Yellow. Stems 12 inches tall, bearing one to three flowers, mostly two. Of vigorous growth, hardy, and producing its stems with extreme freedom. **$1.00**

Tampa (Cook, 1936). (Socrates X I. arenaria [flavissima]). Flowers very small, and of a decided redness for a dwarf bearded Iris, carried on slender stems that are often gracefully flexed. Much redder and brighter than its parent, Socrates. Flowers two inches by two inches, Dahlia Carmine; Beard, Light Cadmium. Stems 14 inches tall, abundantly produced, bearing one or two flowers each. Strong and vigorous in growth, increasing rapidly to make fine clumps. **$1.00**

Mead-Riedel Origination

Franklin B. Mead (Mead-Riedel, 1936). A magnificent white plicata of Los Angeles type but even more beautiful. The flowers are large, 5x5½ inches, have good substance with 8-9 flowers on each well and deeply branched stalk, 50-52 inches tall. Perhaps its most outstanding feature is its hardiness and prolific blooming habit. Is especially valuable in the garden because of its height. **$15.00**

None of the varieties on this page is to be considered in computing the 10 *per cent discount mentioned on page* 2.

Collections

For those gardeners who want only a few iris and who seek a small collection of high quality and of varied color range the following suggestions may be useful. Each collection is priced at a figure which makes a real saving possible.

REAL BARGAIN COLLECTIONS

Collection No. 1	**Collection No. 2**	**Collection No. 3**
Shah Jehan	Eros	Ethel Peckham
Castalia	Nepenthe	Talisman
Evelyn Benson	Winneshiek	Mozambique
Desert Gold	Picador	Hypnos
Lady Hudson	Dazzler	Pervaneh
Barbarian	Sundipt	Adobe
$6.75 for $3.25	**$14.50 for $8.50**	**$13.50 for $7.50**

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Mixed Iris Seedlings

LOT A

Twenty-five plants of mixed Iris seedlings (full-grown plants of blooming size) with one plant of **Adobe** or **Dazzler** (labeled) for $1.00. Express charges collect.

We have sold many hundreds of Lot A and the buyers have all been very pleased with them. If you do not want named Iris but wish a beautiful and varied lot we believe this is the best Iris buy in the world. They are especially fine for borders along walks and driveways. This collection of seedlings differs from year to year due to our change in crosses.

In ordering, designate this collection as Lot A.....$1.00

Made to Order Collection

LOT C

Collections are generally more tantalizing than satisfying. Here is one you will find has both characteristics—you make the combinations yourself.

Here is the proposition:

1. You select the plants you want from the list below, one of each kind, as many kinds as you wish but not less than six kinds.

2. You add up the prices of the kinds you have selected, deduct one-third of the total, and remit the balance, but the amount remitted must not be less than $2.00.

3. Each plant will be a properly labeled full-sized plant and the order will be sent prepaid by express or mail as you may direct, guaranteed satisfactory.

25c Each

Allure
Amber Wave
Andante
Andrew Jackson
Beau Sabreur
Bright Balloon
Cherry Rust
Cinnabar
Dolly Madison
Farandole
Francheville
Gargantue
Gay Hussar
Hyacinthus
Katherine McFarland
King Tut
Luciane
Lodestar
Luzianna
Magenta
Messaline
Midgard
Montour
Nightshade
Opaline
Ophelia
Rasakura
Romance
Sandakan
Sandrine
Talwar
Trostringer
Yataghan

35c Each

Bergama
Decennial
Dorothy Dietz
Henri Riviere
Mareschel Ney
Melchior
Nepenthe
Numa Roumestan
Rose Marie
Senlac
Sweet Sixteen

50c Each

Adobe
Dazzler
Hermene
Illuminator
Kublai Khan
Pink Jadu
Rameses
Seraph
Shot Silk
Sumac

75c Each

Castalia
Dauntless
Margaret Anne
Picador

$1.00 Each

Barbarian
Evelyn Benson
Old Tapestry

$1.50 Each

Cimarron
Equipoise

$2.00 Each

Gaucho
Toscana

$4.00 Each

Joycette
Marion Lapham
Mozambique
Rhages

General List of Iris for 1936

ABBREVIATIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

A.I.S.—American Iris Society
A.M.—Award of Merit
And.—D. M.Andrews, Boulder, Colo.
Arb.—Mrs. J. H. Arbuckle, Columbus, Ohio.
Bun.—George Bunyard, England
Bur.—Sam Burchfield
Cay.—Cayeux and LeClerc, France.
C.M.—Certificate of Merit.
Con.—C. P. Connell, Nashville, Tenn.
E. I. S.—English Iris Society.
Egel.—Leo J. Egelberg, Lacrosse, Wis.
Emig.—Mrs. J. F. Emigholz, Cincinnati, Ohio.
F.—Falls of Iris flower.
Fen.—Thomas H. Fendall, Leesburg, Va.
Fos.—Sir Michael Foster, England.
Fry.—W. E. Fryer, Mantorville, Minn.
G.&K.—Goos and Koenemann, Germany.
Gey.—Geylenkek, Holland.
H. C.—Highly Commended.
H. M.—Honorable Mention.
Ken.—A. Kennicott, Chicago, Ill.
Kirk.—Dr. J. H. Kirkland, Nashville, Tenn.
Koeh.—Frank Koehler, Camden, N. J.
Koh.—Martin Kohankie, Painesville, Ohio.
Lap.—E. G. Lapham, Elkhart, Ind.
McK.—Mrs. C. McKinney, Madison, N. J.
M.H.S.—Mass. Horticultural Society.
Mil.—Millet & Fils, France.
Mohr.-Mit.—Wm. Mohr and S. B. Mitchell, California.
Mor.—B. Y. Morrison, Takoma Park, D. C.
Morg.—F. Cleveland Morgan, Can.
Mur.—Murrell, England.
Nich.—Col. Jesse C. Nichols, Ithaca, N. Y.
R.H.S.—Royal Horticultural Society.
S.—Standards of Iris flower.
Salb.—Carl Salbach, Berkeley, Calif.
Sal.—John Salter, England.
Sim.—H. P. Simpson, Cherryvale, Va.
S.N.H.F.—Society National D'Horticulture de France.
Sturt.—Miss Grace Sturtevant. Wellesley Farms, Mass.
Van T.—C. G. Van Tubergen, Jr., Holland.
Ver.—Eugene Verdier, France.
Vilm.—Vilmorin, France.
Wal.—R. Wallace & Co., England.
Wmsn.—Williamson. Longfield Iris Farm.

A "self" is an Iris whose standards and falls are of practically the same color.

A "bicolor" is an Iris whose standards differ in color from the falls.

A "neglecta" is a purple bicolor.

A "plicata" is an Iris whose petals are sanded, veined or otherwise marked with a color darker than the ground color.

A "variegata" is an Iris with standards of yellow, gold or orange and falls heavily veined a darker color or completely of a darker color.

An "amoena" is an Iris with white standards and colored falls, sometimes veined or margined white.

Names of colors in capitals are those of Ridgeway's Color Standards and Nomenclature. It is unfortunate that copies of this work are limited but until we have a more widely distributed standard the conscientious describer can do no better than follow the only definite and reliable standard available. The Ridgeway names in many instances are color names in common usage and in most cases they can be fairly interpreted even by those not acquainted with the color charts.

Dwarf Iris

This interesting group of plants averages about eight inches in height and blooms from April to about the middle of May. They are fine for rock gardens as well as planted in front of perennial borders.

Atroviolacea S. and F. deep red violet. The first dwarf Iris to bloom. **$0.15**

Aurea Maculata. Yellow with bright orange beard. Purplish tinged falls. **$0.15**

Azurea H. C., R. H. S. Makes a lovely carpet of soft lavender blue above the short green foliage. Very dwarf, very floriferous and fragrant. **$0.15**

Black Midget (McK. 1923). Black purple, with rather thin petals. **$0.50**

Blue Beard (Perry, 1903). S. bluish white; F. olive green with some purple veining. Fragrant. **$0.15**

Blue Jade (Van Fleet-Lovett 1926). Large dark red purple, with velvety garnet purple falls. Beard, orange. Good form. **$0.35**

Bluestone (Perry, 1903). Blue purple bicolor with smooth rounded S. and F. Free flowering. **$0.15**

Bride (Caparne, 1901). Nearly white. Fragrant. 12 inches. **$0.15**

Cyanea (G. & K. 1899). Rich violet purple with a white throat. **$0.15**

Dixmude (Mil. 1916). S. Aniline Blue and F. rich crimson purple. **$0.15**

Endymion. A rich claret of fine proportion. Very fine. **$0.25**

Florida (G. & K. 1899). Medium yellow self. **$0.15**

Graminea. A very well-formed garnet red self. **$0.15**

Harbor Lights (Bur. 1927). The best light yellow dwarf. Finely formed flowers. **$0.75**

Lieut de Chavagnac (Andre, 1926). A violet dwarf that blooms also in the fall. **$0.35**

Lutea (1875). H. C., R. H. S. A yellow dwarf. **$0.15**

Marocain (Mil. 1914). C. M., S. N. H. F. Rich, deep purple. **$0.15**

Margaret. Fine flushed white, tinted lavender. **$0.50**

Orange Queen (Barr, 1910). Clear deep yellow. Very fragrant. **$0.15**

Oriel (Caparne, 1901). A large flowered reddish self. **$0.15**

Princess Louise (Per. 1903). A lovely large clear blue bicolor. **$0.75**

[*See page 4 for the two new Cook dwarfs*]

Puck (Caparne, 1901). Dark garnet, with velvety falls. **$0.75**

Rose Mist (H. P. Sass, 1931). A soft rosy mauve, almost pink. Lovely. **$0.50**

Socrates (1920). A very handsome rich wine red Iris. **$0.15**

Ultra (H. P. Sass, 1929). True blue dwarf having two or three blooms to a stem. Free bloomer. Fall bloomer. **$0.25**

Zobeida (Burchfield, 1923). S. slaty; F. velvety dark purple. **$0.25**

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June Blooming Dwarf Iris

These dwarf bearded Iris bloom with the late tall bearded Iris, around the first of June and NOT in April as most dwarfs do. They are fine for rock gardens or edging.

Hobo (Wmsn. 1934). A bright little variegata with the most attractive and unusual dark green foliage with leaves blunt edged, heavy fibrous and curly. S. clear deep yellow; F. Maroon veining of haft carried down into fall until it finally emerges into a solid color. Tiny flowers, 3 flowers to a stem. 14 inches. **$0.50**

Pixy (H. P. Sass, 1929). Plicata blend of Jubilee coloring. 8-10 inches. **$1.00**

Play Boy (Wmsn. 1934). A tiny flowered amoena that is most charming and gay. S. White with base Lemon Chrome; F. White with violet veining to solid violet, white margin. 8-10 inches. **$0.50**

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Intermediate Iris

These Iris in general bloom just after the dwarfs and before the tall bearded and thus fill in the blooming season. They vary in height from 15 to 24 inches and have relatively large flowers.

Blue Boy (Fos. 1913). Violet self with same colored beard. **$0.15**

Challenger (J. Sass, 1930). Dark purple bicolor, white beard. **$0.25**

Crimson King. Rich deep red purple. Fragrant. 29 inches. **$0.15**

Crysoro (Nicholls, 1931). H. M., A. I. S. Clearest, deepest, most luminous yellow of any bearded Iris. **$0.50**

Dorothea (Caparne, 1901). A. M., R. H. S. Pale lilac bicolor. **$0.15**

Empress (Caparne, 1901). Very pale blue white. **$0.15**

Etta (Caparne, 1901). A. M., R. H. S. Creamy yellow self. Fragrant. **$0.15**

Firmament (Groschner, 1920). Two shades of lavender blue. **$0.15**

Florentina. H. C., R. H. S. The fragrant early flowering white Iris. **$0.15**

Germanica Major. S. blue purple, F. red purple. Fragrant. **$0.15**

Golden Harvest (J. Sass, 1929). S. and F. citron yellow suffused olive at haft and base of S. Brilliant orange beard. Fall bloomer. 20 inches. **$0.75**

Helge (G. & K. 1908). An early pale yellow. **$0.15**

Ingeborg (G. & K. 1908). A. M., R. H. S. Clear white flowers with gold veining at throat and rich golden beard. Fragrant. **$0.15**

Kharput. A. M., R. H. S. Species of Asia Minor. Dark purple bicolor. **$0.15**

Kochii A. M., R. H. S. A wild Iris of southern Europe. Blackish purple. **$0.15**

Leota (Fry. 1923). Creamy white with F. faintly lavender streaked. **$0.15**

Maygold (Nich. 1931). A canary yellow self of excellent form. **$0.50**

Moonbeam (Mur. 1927). Pure sulphur yellow with no markings. **$0.25**

Nymph (Sass, 1927). Deep yellow with a rich golden beard. **$0.25**

Primavera. Huge soft primrose yellow. One of the best. **$0.50**

Purple King. (Wallich, 1930). H. C., R. H. S. Splendid deep violet. **$0.15**

Red Orchid (Sass, J. 1934). S. violet-carmine; F. velvety violet-carmine. One of the reddest intermediates. **$1.50**

Soledad (Mohr, 1922). A. M., A. I. S., A fine amber yellow. **$0.15**

Sunbeam (Mur. 1927). Satiny deep canary yellow. Very fine. **$0.25**

Yellow Hammer. (Denis, 1920). A. M., A. I. S. Clear primrose yellow. **$0.15**

Zua (Crawford, 1914). Very pale lavender flowers, crimped and creped. **$0.15**

Zwanenburg (Denis, 1909). Unusual blend of cream, violet, olive green and maroon. **$0.15**

Table Iris

This charming group of Iris bloom with the tall bearded Iris but must not be compared with them. The small dainty flowers on slender wiry stems, with grass-like foliage, make them especially suitable for cut Iris for the table, hence, the name. These Iris are also fine for the border as they are quite floriferous and graceful.

Bunting (Wmsn. 1934). A pale violet self of fine form on excellently branched stems 29 inches high. Fragrant. (Not for sale in 1936.)

Kinglet (Wmsn. 1934). A deep golden yellow self with small well-formed flowers on well-branched stems 29 inches high. Deeper and brighter in color than Sherwin Wright. **$0.35**

Pewee (Wmsn. 1934). A tiny pure white flower on gracefully well-branched stems 17 inches high. A perfect little gem. **$0.75**

Siskin (Wmsn. 1934). A lovely clean pinard yellow self with slightly opened S. and flaring F. adding to the grace and airiness of the whole plant. This and Pewee are the smallest of the group. 34 inches. **$0.75**

Titmouse (Wmsn. 1934). Amber Yellow speckled and edged Hortense Violet. Finely formed flowers on excellently branched stems 31 inches high. **$0.35**

Tom Tit (Bliss, 1919). Very dark mulberry purple with good substance and horizontal falls. Small, gay and dainty. 18 inches. **$0.25**

Warbler (Wmsn, 1935). A very small, clean yellow formal flower with the wonderful floriferousness and clean habit of growth in mass of Bluet. For brilliance in the garden it cannot be surpassed even though it is a light yellow. 25 inches. **$0.50**

Color Chart

At the request of many of our customers we are offering for their use our first color chart as a guide in helping them select newer varieties. We do not claim this to be perfect but only as groups having some similarities in color. This year we are charting only the Tall Bearded group.

White
Ambrosia
Blithesome
Columbine
Easter Morn
Gudrun
Lady Hudson
Parthenon
Santa Fe
Selene

White
Snow White
Solitaire
Venus de Milo
Wambliska
White and Gold

Plicata
Anndelia
Cockatoo
Damozel
F. B. Mead
Nehawka
Rhages
Stipples
True Delight
Wasatch

Amoena
Dorothy Dietz
Wabash
Yves Lassailly

Neglecta
Amigo
Blue Banner

Light Blue
Amrita
Blue June
Blue Monarch
Blue Triumph
Buechley's Giant
California Blue
Castalia
Coronado
Elsa
Gloriole
Iriscrest
Jacqueline Guillot
Mary Barnett
Santa Barbara
Sensation
Shining Waters
Souv. de Loetitia Michaud
Summer Cloud
Western Skies

Deep Blue
Amneris
Erin
Gargantue
Ion
Luzianna
Missouri
Pacific
Realm
Sierra Blue
Wedgwood

Blue Purple
Baldwin
Blackamoor
Black Wings
Blue Velvet
Buto
Katherine McFarland
Meldoric
Mount Royal
Mozambique
Nightshade
Sirius
Valor
Van Cleve
Veloute
Winneshiek

Blue Blend
Anne Marie Cayeux
Dolly Madison
Hypnos
Persia
Pres. Pilkington

Light Pink
Anndelia
Camilla Dubuar
Caroline E. Stringer
Chatelet
Dr. Chas. H. Mayo
Eloise Lapham
Ethelwyn Dubuar
Imperial Blush
Marion Lapham
Pink Jadu
Pink Jewel
Pink Opal
Pink Satin
Rheingauperle
Sweet Sixteen
Trostringer

Salmon Pink
Eros
Sandia

Rosy Pink
Dog Rose
Edgewood
Fascination
Frieda Mohr
Rose of Cuba

Pink Blend
Allure
Day Dream
Hermene
Midgard
No-we-ta
Omaha
Opaline
Romance
Shot Silk
Tokay

Color Chart

Blue-Red

Cardinal
Legend
Luciane
Sir Michael

Red

Carfax
Cheerio
Clement Desormes
Coralie
Dauntless
Dazzler
Ethel Peckham
Evelyn Benson
Firefall
Indian Chief
Jerry
Joycette
King Tut
Margaret Anne
Mary Elizabeth
Nene
Numa Roumestan
Red Radiance
Rose Dominion
Rubeo
Senlac

Red Purple

Andante
Andrew Jackson
Barbarian
Bronze Beacon
Cantata
Cimarron
Cinnabar
Depute Nomblot
Don Juan
Germaine Perthuis
Kublai Khan
Illuminator
Melchior
M. Fernande David
Rasakura
Rose Marie
Shiawassee
Sumac
Talwar
Uncle Remus
Varese
Yataghan

Red Blend

Farandole
Francheville
Le Correge
Messaline
Montour
Naomi
Sandakan
Sandrine

Clear Yellow

Alice Harding
Aliquippa
Alta California
Bright Balloon
Chromylla
Cockatoo
Coronation
Desert Gold
Lucrezia Bori
Pluie d' Or
Robert
Sundipt
W. R. Dykes
Yellow Pearl

Yellow Effect

Bezant
Flambeau
Golden Promise
Helios
Marquita
Nebraska
Old Tapestry
Seraph

Variegata

Beau Sabreur
Bergama
Braillar's Giant
Crown Prince
Decennial
Gay Hussar
Gaucho
Henri Riviere
Jinny Sue
Lady Morvyth
Lodestar
Picador
Shah Jehan

Yellow Blend

Amber Wave
Boadicea
Cameliard
Clara Noyes
Euphony
Gilead
Hassan
Moonglo
Ophelia
Rameses
Talisman
Toscana
Tuscany Gold
Valencia

Brown

Bruno
Chamita
Cherry Rust
Fire God
Grace Sturtevant
Hyacinthus
Jean Cayeux
Mareschel Ney
Monal
Redwing
Shirvan

Magenta

Magenta

Yellow-Red Blend

Adobe
King Midas
Mary Geddes
Quivera
Trail's End

Yellow-Blue Blend

Alcina
Equipoise
Genevive Serouge
K. V. Ayres
Nepenthe
Ningal
Rhadi

Tall Bearded Iris

(Older, standard varieties will be found listed alphabetically, at extremely low prices, on pages 31-32-33. Look there for any common variety not found below.)

*In the case of a starred variety, three plants of that variety will be sold for the price of two plants.

***Adobe** (Wmsn. 1932). A lovely, large well-rounded blend suggesting the name. S. a warm buff shading to red; F. Pompeian Red with buff margin. **$0.50**

Alcina (Con. 1931). A glistening Iris with pale yellow S. and beautifully blended blue and gray F. 32 inches. **$0.35**

Alice Harding (Cay. 1933). Dykes Medal, Paris, 1933. A soft toned satiny yellow of clear coloring and splendid substance. S. primrose yellow; F. same tone shaded soft buff at base; conspicuous orange beard. Tall, well branched stalks with flowers similar in form to Princess Beatrice. 40 inches. **$20.00**

Aliquippa (Hall, 1924). A. I. S. Silver Medal. A soft pale yellow with luminous center of deeper coloring. Makes a most attractive light garden effect. Fragrant. 34 inches. **$0.25**

Allure (Mur. 1927). A. I. S. Silver Medal. A beautiful blend of rich canary yellow flushed and overlaid with violet pink. Finely formed and ruffled. Holds its delicate color best in partial shade. **$0.25**

Alta California (Mohr-Mit. 1931). A fine yellow of exceptionally smooth texture. S. clear yellow, F. deep yellow faintly bronzed. Finely branched stems 48 inches tall. Withstands sun and rain. **$2.00**

Amber Wave (Mur. 1930). C. M. Luminous yellow self suffused and shot with palest olive bronze. F. have a faint velvety violet blue flush at haft which is heavily reticulated. Late. **$0.25**

Ambrosia (Sturt. 1928). An iridescent white Iris evenly tinted throughout with pale flesh, with warmth heightened by a rich orange beard. Large flowers of satiny texture blooming freely. 36 inches. **$0.50**

Amigo (Wmsn. 1934.) A very rich neglecta suggesting a blue purple pansy. The very heavy texture combined with the fine form suggesting Dominion make it oustanding in its class. S. clear Light Lavender Violet; F. Deep Hyacinth Violet shading out to Light Hyacinth Violet, narrow white margin. **$10.00**

Amneris (Mil. 1925). S. violet blue, F. steel blue deeply shaded violet blue with a rich velvety appearance. Tall, vigorous and well branched. **$0.25**

Amrita (Con. 1933). Much like Ballerine in coloring but the flower is very different in shape. 42 inches. **$1.00**

***Andante** (Wmsn. 1930). Enormous flowers of rich velvety raisin purple. An outstanding Iris. Fragrant. Three feet. **$0.25**

***Andrew Jackson** (Kirk. 1929). A flower of large size, heavy substance and good form. The general effect is a rich red violet. **$0.25**

Anndelia (Sturt. 1929). S. light lilac; F. white with a fine border of rose-purple. The whole flower nicely ruffled. A fine garden Iris of great daintiness. Fragrant. 30 inches. **$0.25**

Anne Marie Cayeux (Cay. 1928). C. M. S. N. H. F. 1929. A most distinct and beautiful blend. The S. are pinky lilac shot with grey and the F. are metallic blue on grey. A very smooth, rounded flower of extremely heavy substance. 3 ft. **$1.00**

Baldwin (H. P. Sass, 1927). S. and F. deep blue purple with an electric blue sheen. An outstanding Iris of fine form, heavy substance and large size. **$0.25**

***Barbarian** (Wmsn. 1934). A flower of most unique form. The long slender flowers have a lacinated appearance and the buds are quite long and pointed. Gives an odd but graceful appearance to the plant. Mathew's Purple with a faint electric blue streak below beard. Fragrant. 32 inches. **$1.00**

***Beau Sabreur** (Wmsn. 1930). A variegata with Dominion character in S. and F. A remarkably refined and finished flower of subtle beauty. S. yellow beautifully flushed red purple; F. ox-blood red, margin slightly paler. **$0.25**

***Bergama** (Wmsn. 1932). An unusual variegata with bronzy overcast. S. bright yellow at base shading to purplish yellow; F. Raisin Purple distinctly margined yellow. Makes a good combination with Sonata. 32 inches. **$0.35**

Bezant (Mur. 1929). A. M. Wisley. A brilliant old gold yellow. S. old gold; F. same with white flush down center blade. **$0.35**

Blackamoor (J. Sass, 1932). H. M. A. I. S. 1931. Large flower of deep blue purple, the darkness intensified by a blue beard. Free bloomer. 36 inches. **$1.50**

Black Wings (Kirk. 1931). A large heavy textured flower of a deep midnight blue overlaid with a frosty black luster. It is vigorous, well branched and fragrant. **$0.75**

Blithesome (Con. 1935). A lovely new warm white Iris powdered with iridescent gold. The styles and beard are a rich gold. Well formed flower with flaring F. 40 inches. **$17.50**

Blue Banner (Kirk. 1929). S. light lavender blue, beautifully frilled. F. a rich velvety deeper blue shading to a pale blue at the edges. The general effect is that of a very bright electric blue. Long flowering season. **$0.25**

Blue June (Donahue, 1931). Charming smoothly finished flower of pale bluish lavender, deeper than Mary Barnett. Yellow orange beard. Very fragrant. 40 inches. **$5.00**

Blue Monarch (J. Sass, 1933). A large soft violet blue self with a satiny sheen. Color effect a clear blue. 40 inches. **$3.00**

Blue Triumph (Grint. 1934). H. M. A. I. S. 1933. One of the finest and most outstanding of the light blues. The flowers are large, graceful with heavy substance and smooth glossy finish. Has a long blooming period. 12-18 flowers to a stem. 42 inches. **$12.50**

Blue Velvet (Loomis, 1929). Clear very velvety dark blue with orange beard. Large flowers on sturdy stems. 40 inches. **$1.00**

Boadicea (Nich. 1931). A beautiful ruffled blend of soft yellow flushed light clear pink with a flush of bright sky blue at center of each F. Very floriferous. 38 inches. **$0.50**

Braillar's Giant (Lap.) S. yellow, F. red violet. Large, well formed flowers. **$1.00**

*__Bright Balloon__ (Waller). A fine clear yellow of good form. 3 ft. **$0.25**

Bronze Beacon (Salb. 1932). S. glowing golden bronze; F. Indian Lake. Large lustrous blooms of heavy texture. Late bloomer with long flowering season. 48 inches. **$0.75**

Bruno (Bliss. 1922). S. fawn shading to yellow at base; F. deep rich velvety red purple of large size and good substance. One of the popular Dominion derivatives. 36 inches. **$0.25**

Buechley's Giant (Buechley, 1933). An extremely large flower of fine form and good substance along the Lord of June shades, the falls a bit darker. 32 inches. **$0.75**

Buto (H. P. Sass, 1926). A large and gorgeous dark blue purple of great purity of tone. Splendid for massing in combination with Fascination, for instance. 30 inches. **$0.25**

California Blue (Essig, 1929). A lovely large flowered rich bluish violet with a glowing beard. Tall, well branched and early. Very fragrant. **$0.50**

Cameliard (Sturt. 1927). A distinct variegata blend of great size and height. S. and F. amber yellow, overlaid wine purple. Vigorous and free flowering. 43 inches. **$0.25**

Camilla Dubuar (Lap. 1929). A pale pink self of good size. Well branched, floriferous and vigorous. **$0.25**

*__Cantata__ (Wmsn. 1930). A rich, intense Hyacinth Violet self; a Dominion seedling of fine form and splendid coloring. Fragrant. Early flowering. 32 inches. **$0.25**

Cardinal (Bliss, 1919). A. M., R. H. S. S. lavender, shot rose; F. dark red purple of wonderful velvety texture. Fragrant. **$0.35**

Carfax (Bliss, 1930). Eng. Silver Gilt Medal. A finely formed red purple with velvety falls. Very well branched. **$0.50**

Caroline E. Stringer (Sass, J., 1924). The lighest pink toned Iris of fine texture. Beard bright yellow. 33 inches. **$0.25**

*Castalia (Wmsn. 1933). A very beautiful Pallid Blue Violet self of large size, perfect form and heavy texture. Very vigorous with erect foliage. This is the bluest Iris that we know. Very fragrant. 34 inches. **$0.75**

Chamita (Wmsn. 1934). A very distinct brown toned Iris delicately overlaid with gold. Fine shaped flowers on 31 inch stems excellently branched. **$6.00**

Chatelet (Vilm. 1923). C. M., S. N. H. F. Large flower of uniform soft pink tone. Fragrant. **$0.25**

Cheerio (Ayres, 1934). One of the brightest and outstanding of the new red Iris. S. are dull gold with a bright red flush, the F. velvety glowing red. Finely formed flowers on a strong vigorous plant. Without a doubt one of the finest of the new introductions. **$20.00**

*Cherry Rust (Wmsn. 1932). S. rosy copper shading yellow at base; F. velvety brownish red mahogany. More coppery and lower than King Tut. Useful primarily as a very distinct color for a low mass. Stands up well through wind and rain. 24 inches. **$0.25**

Chromylla (Loomis, 1931). H. M., A. I. S., 1931; A. M., A. I. S. 1932. Large flowers of uniform chrome-yellow. Remarkably smooth texture. 36 inches. **$3.00**

*Cimarron (Wmsn. 1932). Brilliant massive flowers on graceful stems. S. Magenta; F. Dahlia Purple. A very fine red purple of unusual well-rounded form. 34 inches. **$1.50**

*Cinnabar (Wmsn. 1928). A. I. S. Silver Medal. A rich dark red of one tone, but it is a bicolor due to the heavy velvety falls. Stands up through wind and rain. Has great carrying power. 42 inches. **$0.25**

Clara Noyes (H. P. Sass, 1931). H. M., A. I. S., 1931, A. M., A. I. S. 1932. A lovely blending of yellow, orange and apricot impossible to describe. Very beautiful and distinct. 38 inches. **$1.00**

Clement Desormes (Denis, 1923). S. and F. deep red pink. Bright flowers of perfect form and magnificent carrying quality. Free blooming and one of the best landscape varieties. 34 inches. **$0.25**

Cockatoo (Mor. 1928). A soft, clear yellow plicata, ruffled. 32 inches. **$0.35**

Columbine (Mur. 1930). E. I. S. Silver Medal. As clean and clear as a crystal with lovely form and slender graceful stems. A dainty white quite distinct from all others. **$0.50**

Coralie (Ayres, 1932). Dykes Medal 1933. The broad S. are clear pale red flushed mauve; F. a beautiful shade of glowing wine red. Golden beard. A fine variety of great beauty. **$10.00**

Coronado (Mohr-Mit. 1924). Lilac bicolor suffused yellow. Three feet. **$0.25**

Coronation (Moore, 1927). A deep golden yellow self. Large flowers on tall well-branched stems. Strong, hardy and a profuse bloomer. **$0.25**

Crown Prince (Klein. 1931). A giant variegata: F. solid deep orange yellow; F. solid velvety brownish red. 40 inches. **$1.50**

Damozel (Mor. 1922). A white plicata marked mauve. **$0.25**

Dauntless (Con. 1929). Dykes Medal in 1929, A. I. S. A beautiful rose red self though the F. appear darker because of their velvety quality. 40 inches. **$0.75**

Day Dream (Sturt. 1925). A charming garden Iris, tall and vigorous of pleasing soft pink tones. 42 inches. **$0.35**

*__Dazzler__ (Wmsn. 1932). A larger, finer, rosier Seminole with a long carrying range. 36 inches. Fragrant. **$0.50**

*__Decennial__ (Wmsn. 1930). S. a clean bright Picric Yellow, deepening slightly at base; F. ground color Dahlia Carmine with a narrow yellow margin; near the base of the beard is an overdash of electric blue. Fragrant. **$0.35**

Depute Nomblot (Cay. 1929). Dykes Medal S. N. H. F. S. copper red flushed golden bronze; F. rich shade of claret crimson. The entire flower seems lightly dusted with gold. The flowers are large and well proportioned. 50 inches. **$0.75**

Desert Gold (Kirk. 1930). A yellow of gigantic size, perfect form, and unusual substance with strong and branching stalk. Straw yellow, deepening toward the center. Early flowering. **$0.50**

Dog Rose (Insole, 1929). C. M. R. H. S., 1929. A very beautiful delicate pink Iris with deep gold beard. Large oval shaped flowers on tall well branched stems. **$1.00**

Dolly Madison (Wmsn. 1927). H. M., A. I. S. Mauvette shading out to yellow at base; bright orange beard. This is one of the finest Iris ever introduced. Very large flowers of perfect form, heavy texture, carried gracefully on 36 inch stems. **$0.25**

Don Juan (Cay. 1928). C. M., S. N. H. F. A sturdy growing Iris with immense flowers on well-branched stems. S. light rosy-lilac shaded bronze; F. purplish garnet red. 36 inches. **$0.25**

*__Dorothy Dietz__ (Wmsn. 1929). S. on opening Light Chicory Blue quickly fading to white; F. Pansy Violet fading to paler at the extreme margin. 38 inches. **$0.35**

Dr. Chas. H. Mayo (Fry. 1924). A fine pink toned Iris with a white throat. Sweetly scented. 31 inches. **$0.25**

Easter Morn (Essig. 1931). A. M., A. I. S. The almost perfect white. Warmer in tone than Purissima due to the orange beard and inconspicuous old gold veining at haft. Large flowers of heavy texture. **$2.00**

Edgewood (Hall, 1926). A deep pinkish lavender bicolor, large flowers of fine carriage. Fine for garden effect. 45 inches. **$0.35**

Eloise Lapham (Lap. 1932). H. M., A. I. S. A fine pale pink variety. S. white flushed pink. Heavy golden beard. Flowers large, well rounded on well branched stems. **$1.00**

Elsa (Mor. 1926). Of the shade of soft violet found in Corrida but with a larger flower having flaring falls. Three feet. **$0.25**

*__Equipoise__ (Wmsn. 1934). A tall graceful yellow and violet blend with excellent carrying quality for use in the garden. Excellently branched stem, 43 inches tall. Very floriferous and vigorous. **$1.50**

Erin (Mor. 1930). A lovely Iris of clear light lavender and petunia violet. 42 inches. **$0.75**

Eros (Mead-Riedel, 1934). H. M., A. I. S. 1934. A glorious definite garden effect of salmon pink. A lovely, large, shapely iridescent flower of silky texture. Very fragrant, very vigorous and a fast multiplier. 42 inches. **$8.00**

Ethel Peckham (Wmsn. 1932). H. M., A. I. S., 1932. Large perfectly formed flowers of a wonderful brilliant red. We feel this is the best of the reds yet produced. Very fragrant. **$6.00**

Ethelwyn Dubuar (Lapham, 1933). A beautiful deep pink self without the objectionable magenta. A clean fresh color with orange beard, large flowered and tall. **$1.00**

Euphony (Sass, H. P. 1929). S. ruffled richest copper with a tinge of heliotrope at tips; F. veined old gold and tinged violet over a cream background. Three feet. **$0.25**

Evelyn Benson (Mur. 1931). Silver Medal Eng. A uniform rosy carmine self slightly suffused bronze without reticulations. Well branched and very free flowering. Late. **$1.00**

Farandole (Cay 1928). C. M., S. N. H. F. Flowers of largest size on well branched stems. S. light rosy-lilac and F. purplish rose. 36 inches. **$0.25**

Fascination (Cay. 1927). S. and F. clear, bright purplish pink of a most intense hue; about the same depth of tone as Aphrodite but without the blue of that variety. Free flowering, vigorous with large finely shaped flowers. **$0.25**

Firefall (Essig, 1928). Bright bordeaux red with a prominent golden beard. 30 inches. **$0.35**

Fire God (Nich. 1929). S. reddish brown shading to yellow at base. F. deep brown garnet. In mass a fiery brown variety. **$0.50**

Flambeau (Sturt. 1924). A yellow Iris with F. veined chestnut. A vivid orange beard which lights the whole flower. 42 inches. **$0.25**

Francheville (Cay. 1927). C. M., S. N. H. F. Enormous stout textured flowers 42 inches high; well branched stems. S. chamois-fawn shaded clear lilac; F. purplish red shading to heliotrope at the margins. **$0.25**

Franklin B. Mead (Mead-Riedel, 1936). See page 4. **$15.00**

Frieda Mohr (Mohr- Mit. 1926). A large deep pink toned Iris of perfect form, good texture, brilliant coloring and long flowering season. 42 inches. **$0.25**

Gargantue (Mil. 1923). C. M., S. N. H. F. S. and F. violet blue, a rich color somewhat deeper than that of Wedgwood. Vigorous habit. 45 inches. **$0.25**

Gaucho (Wmsn. 1935). A tall, very brilliant variegata of good form and large size. S. Empire Yellow; F. Vandyke Red with a narrow margin of Empire Yellow. 32 inches. **$2.00**

*__Gay Hussar__ (Wmsn. 1929). A brilliant little jewel among variegatas. S. Lemon Chrome; F. deep velvety Ox-Blood Red with a narrow paler margin. **$0.25**

Genevieve Serouge (Cay. 1932). C. M. and Special Prize S. N. H. F. A beautiful blend of soft tones. S. blending of very soft tawny yellow; F. soft clear lilac blended light flax blue edged sulphur yellow; wide ochre throat. Strong, well branched stems. 42 inches. **$6.00**

Germaine Perthuis (Mil. 1924). A rich violet purple bicolor. Large well formed flowers of heavy texture. 36 inches. **$0.25**

Gilead (And. 1931). H. M. A. I. S. 1932. Large well formed flowers of unique coloring. A soft buff overlaid amber the F. slightly deeper in tone. The whole flower tinged bronze. **$2.00**

Gloriole (Gage, 1933). H. M. A. I. S. 1933. A. M., A. I. S. 1935. A light blue self overlaid glistening white, the iridescence reminding one of thick frost crystals. Heavy substance. 42 inches. **$20.00**

Golden Promise (Neeley, 1924). S. deep yellow; F. soft yellow faintly flushed soft lavender and reticulated bronze. Orange beard. **$0.25**

Grace Sturtevant (Bliss, 1926). The most outstanding rich brown Iris of Dominion parentage. Orange beard. **$0.35**

Gudrun (Dykes, K. 1931). C. M., R. H. S., A. M., R. H. S. Dykes Memorial Medal 1931. A very large pure white lightly dusted with gold at throat. Pure golden beard. One of the finest new whites. 36 inches. **$5.00**

Hassan (Mur. 1930). C. M. Eng. A peculiar blend with S. sulphur yellow; F. same overlaid and suffused smoky violet with heavy greenish gold reticulations. Heavy substance and Dominion form. Late. **$0.35**

Helios (Cay. 1929). Special Award, P. I. C. Enormous wide-petalled flowers of perfect form and fine substance. S. pure lemon yellow; F. same delicately pencilled clear rose purple which gives the flower a most artistic and sketchy effect. 40 inches. **$0.75**

Henri Riviere (Mil. 1927). S. purest lemon yellow, lightening to canary yellow at the base; F. lilac mauve with yellowish reflex blending to canary yellow at the throat and edged canary yellow. Late. Vigorous. 42 inches. **$0.35**

*__Hermene__ (Parker, 1933). A tall satiny deep pink blend with golden center. Unusual and attractive color which harmonizes with most Iris colors. Fine in the garden. Large flowers, heavy texture, and good form. 40 inches. **$0.50**

*__Hyacinthus__ (Wmsn. 1928). A large, distinct, rich reddish brown bicolor with an orange beard. 36 inches. **$0.25**

Hypnos (Con. 1931). Blue shading into red and grey. Very tall and husky. **$0.25**

*__Illuminator__ (Wmsn. 1932). A clear light red of Dominion derivative without a trace of yellow or brown. Fragrant. 36 inches. **$0.50**

Imperial Blush (Sass, H. P., 1933). H. M., A. I. S. 1933. A beautiful large flush pink. F. long and dropping. Fragrant. 40 inches. **$3.50**

Indian Chief (Ayres, 1929). S. pinkish red; F. deep rich velvety red. A large, well-formed flower of heavy substance. Very fine and striking. 40 inches. **$0.50**

Brief Directions for Planting and Caring for Bearded Iris

Sweet, well-drained soil, free of roots of other plants, preferably with some lime, and all the sunshine possible. No fresh manure, no tree leaves; clean, shallow cultivation and no litter or mulch about the plants from early spring until the ground freezes in the fall. A light winter mulch of corn fodder or straw, brought up about the plants, rather than thrown on them, is beneficial but is not necessary except for plants recently planted and not well established. Bonemeal is a satisfactory fertilizer. Well rotted manure may be used if well spaded under, so there is no humus in contact with the rhizomes. Wood ashes may be used freely.

A plant ready for planting consists of 2 essential parts—the leaves and the rhizome (often mistakenly called bulb). Moderate drying does not injure the leaves or rhizomes. If the soil is dry at planting time, fill the trench or hole with water and after it has soaked into the ground, spread the roots over the moist surface and draw soil over them, tramping it down firmly and covering with loose soil. The rhizome should be just below or at the surface and should be held firmly in place if the soil has been properly packed over the roots.

Rarely, due to high temperatures and humidity, slimy bacterial decay will attack the leaves and rhizomes of plants in transit. When such plants are received wipe off all the moist and decayed parts with a rag or ball of paper or excelsior, and dust the base of the leaves and the rhizome thoroughly with sulfur, powdered gypsum or plaster of paris. Plant at once with the upper surface of the rhizome exposed to sun and air. Keep plant under observation to see disease is checked. If the disease progresses, treat as directed for rhizome rot.

Rhizome Rot. The name is descriptive. Give a gentle pull to adjacent leaves to see if the disease has spread beyond the area you have detected. Scrape out all disease and softened tissue and pack the cavity with powdered gypsum. Scatter gypsum on the ground about the diseased area until the surface is white. Examine the plant from day to day to see if the disease is checked.

Mustard Seed Fungus. Work gypsum into the soil to the depth of half an inch and scatter on the surface until it is white.

Root Borer. (1) Clean the garden thoroughly of all litter and old Iris leaves as early in the spring as possible. Burn this litter. (2) After vigorous leaf growth is established in the spring watch for evidence of borer attacks and cut off the leaves below the point where the borer is working; drop the leaves in a tight bottomed basket or bucket and burn them, or bury them in a well-packed grave. (3) Dig plants immediately after flowering, trim leaves down to a 3-6-inch fan, burn or bury all leaves and discarded bits of rhizomes. When trimming plants look carefully for borers. Lay plants on cool (earthen or cement) floor and keep moist (cover with moist burlaps, old carpet or straw) for about 48 hours. Examine again for borers and replant.

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Ion (Mead, 1929). S. pure violet blue; F. blackish violet edged with a paler shade. Very heavy textured flower lighted by a creamy white beard. 36 inches. **$0.25**

Iriscrest (Mead, 1929). Large, broad finely rounded petals of clear medium blue. F. shading white at base. Fine. **$0.35**

Jacqueline Guillot (Cay. 1924). Very large blooms of pure lavender violet with lustrous finish. Stalks stout and well-branched. Fragrant. A fine garden variety. **$0.35**

Jean Cayeux (Cay. 1931). Dykes Medal, 1931. C. M., S. N. H. F. 1931. One of the most outstanding introductions of recent years. The well formed frilled flowers are a pale brown shot with gold, a touch of blue at the tip of the beard brings out the lovely coloring. **$9.00**

Jerry (Lapham, 1934). An outstanding brilliant ruby red. Well rounded flowers of good size that hold their color unusually well. 36 inches. **$4.00**

Jinny Sue (Wmsn. 1936). See page 3. **$5.00**

Joycette (Sass, J. 1931). H. M., A. I. S. A self tone of clear red with no blue tones. Flowers of good size on very tall well-branched stems. Fragrant. **$4.00**

Katherine McFarland (Spitzer, 1926). A. M., A. I. S. S. Mulberry Purple; F. rich velvety blackish purple shading to a darker purple. One of the darkest Iris yet produced. 30 inches. **$0.25**

King Midas (Mead, 1928). One of the first of the tall, bearded varieties to flower. Golden buff suffused garnet brown edged golden buff. Beard deepest orange. The whole flower illuminated with intense golden light. A flower of fine quality, finish and form. 28 inches. **$0.35**

King Tut (Sass, H. P. 1925). Large flowers of a rich deep red. A brilliant Iris. 34 inches. **$0.25**

*__Kublai Khan__ (Wmsn. 1931). A regal Iris of distinguished carriage—a rich rosy red bicolor. 40 inches. **$0.50**

K. V. Ayres (Ayres, 1932). H. M., A. I. S. A beautiful blend of distinctive coloring. A pale coffee and lavender blend with a soft pink overglow. Large and finely formed flowers on well branched stems. **$9.00**

Lady Hudson (Mur. 1931). A uniform shade of glistening silvery grey (fading to white as the flower ages) with faintest flush of pale yellow at haft. Of very heavy texture, fine form and good stems. Early. Very fine. **$0.50**

Lady Morvyth (Mur. 1932). A rich colored variegata. S. broad buttercup yellow; F. rounded crimson red, margined clear yellow. Late. **$3.00**

Le Correge (Vilm. 1927). C. M., S. N. H. F. S. light bronze suffused violet, golden at the throat; F. rich and velvety wine-red. Lighter and browner than Ambassadeur. Fragrant. 36 inches. **$0.25**

Legend (Wareham, 1932). A huge flower of Cardinal type. S. deep blue slightly bronzed; F. rich velvety deep claret with a light edge. Heavy gold beard. **$1.00**

Lodestar (Hall, 1925). A. M., A. I. S. S. lemon chrome; F. velvety claret brown with lemon chrome border. A most brilliant variegata. 36 inches. **$0.25**

*Luciane (Cay. 1928). A wonderfully free-growing Iris and one of the latest to flower. S. bright lilac; F. flaring reddish violet. Three feet. $0.25

Lucrezia Bori (Schreiner, 1935). One of the fine new yellows. The S. are translucent Empire to Primrose Yellow; F. as deep as California Gold, paling slightly at base. Quite a large, well formed flower. 42-45 inches. $25.00

*Luzianna (Wmsn. 1932). A lovely clean bright blue about the shade of Miranda but bluer. Beautiful in habit. Fine for massing and makes a very attractive border. Fragrant. 30 inches. $0.25

*Magenta (Cay. 1927). C. M., S. N. H. F. A very intense magenta. A glorious and distinct color of a great purity and intensity. Good sized flowers of great substance. Vigorous. $0.25

*Mareschal Ney (Wmsn. 1930). H. M., A. I. S. 1932. A very rich bicolored red with a chestnut brown tone, the central area distinctly orange lighted at a distance. Large flowers of fine form. Vigorous. $0.35

*Margaret Anne (Wmsn. 1933). A lovely Iris of unusual brick red tone and attractive. S. ferruginous; F. Vandyke Red; Beard Deep Chrome. 30 inches. $0.75

Marion Lapham (Lapham). One of Mr. Lapham's fine pinks. $4.00

Marquita (Cay. 1930). C. M., S. N. H. F. 1932. Very large well rounded flowers of creamy yellow, the F. pencilled or lined ruby from base to apex. Tall and quite distinct. 42 inches. $3.50

Mary Barnett (Cumbler, 1926). A larger Princess Beatrice. Glorious golden beard. One of the best light blues. Fragrant. $0.25

Mary Elizabeth (Kirk. 1929). A brilliant rosy red self. S. and F. same shade but the heavy velvety quality of the falls gives it the effect of a bicolor. Golden beard. 38 inches. $0.50

Mary Geddes (Wash. 1931). H. M., A. I. S. A very beautiful and unusual Iris. S. light ochraceous salmon; F. same shade overlaid Pompeian Red. Garden effect orange salmon. Very floriferous and vigorous. 38 inches. $2.25

Melchior (Wal. 1927). A fine Dominion seedling along the lines of Mrs. Valerie West; large, tall, massive and of fine habit and heavy substance. S. deep bronze violet; F. rich velvety crimson purple. 42 inches. $0.35

Meldoric (Ayres, 1930). H. M., A. I. S. Huge blue black flowers with S. dome shaped, slightly reddish; flaring F. Orange beard. Very fine. 38 inches. $2.00

Messaline (Mil. 1927). S. crystalline pale gold shading to lighter at the margins and flushed with pink lights; F. Corinthian red passing to gold at the throat. Strong yellow beard. 36 inches. $0.25

Midgard (Sass, 1926). S. and F. yellow shaded pink. A lovely blend with general effect a glowing pink. 36 inches. $0.25

Ministre Fernande David (Cay. 1930). C. M., S. N. H. F. A massive flower of superb form and texture. S. silky red purple. F. velvety glowing dark red purple. 38 inches. $1.50

Missouri (Grint. 1933). H. M., A. I. S. 1933. A. M., A. I. S. 1935. One of the exceptionally fine new medium blues. The large flowers of a glowing blue lavender have very broad segments of heavy substance. The falls are flaring, velvety in texture, slightly deeper than S. A profuse bloomer. 44 inches. **$4.50**

Monal (Wmsn. 1936). See page 3. **$10.00**

Montour (Hall, 1925). A very lovely pink and brown effect with pinkish cinnamon S. flushed magenta; F. velvety burnt lake. Small blooms but a most unusual coloring and extremely attractive. **$0.25**

Moonglo (Wmsn. 1935). A very distinct soft yellow blend with the heaviest substance of any blend we know. This heavy substance gives the flower a very stately appearance. S. Primuline Yellow flushed Chinese Violet; F. Empire Yellow overlaid Chinese Violet; beard Cadmium Orange. Large, finely formed flowers on 32 inch stems. **$8.00**

Mount Royal (Morg. 1929). A dark blue purple bicolor. Outstanding for clarity of tone and for fragrance. 38 inches. **$0.25**

Mozambique (Mead-Riedel, 1934). A tall, stately red violet purple with flowers of largest size and finest form and great rounded petals. Falls a bit flaring. Strong grower. Fragrant. 37 inches. **$4.00**

Naomi (Sturt. 1924). A pink and carmine bicolor in garden effect. Floriferous and fragrant. 26 inches. **$0.25**

Nebraska (Sass, 1927). Rich deep yellow S. beautifully frilled. F. the same with rich brown markings. The most brilliant yellow. A very showy Iris. 34 inches. **$0.25**

Nehawka (Sass, J. 1929). Gracefully ruffled white flower heavily stippled dark blue purple. Appears almost as a self at a distance. 28 inches. **$0.35**

Nene (Cay. 1928). C. M., S. N. H. F. An extremely large flower. S. soft clear rose lilac; F. vinous red lighter at margin. In spite of large size does not flop. Tall. **$0.75**

Nepenthe (Con. 1931). H. M., A. I. S. A lovely subtle pale blend. S. soft buff flushed lavender; F. very long of the same shade but flushed rosy lavender. 30 inches. **$0.35**

*__Nightshade__ (Wmsn. 1932). The wide branching and flexible stems combined with the dark purple shade of this Iris give a unique and beautiful garden effect. Fragrant. 42 inches. **$0.25**

Ningal (Ayres, 1932). A very lovely and attractive blend. S. pure bronzy buff; F. flaring and of a smooth warm buff overlaid with iridescent very pale blue. Large finely formed flowers on tall stems. 46 inches. **$1.00**

No-we-ta (Sass, H. P. 1932). A pinker Midgard type of entirely different form. A beautiful true pink self in effect with yellow flushes at center and edges of the F. and S. The whole flower is softly ruffled. 32 inches. **$1.50**

Numa Roumestan (Cay. 1928). The S. are vinous red and the F. are somewhat deeper, a rich amaranth red. It has splendid carrying quality and composes well in the garden picture. 36 inches. **$0.35**

Old Tapestry (Mur. 1932). S. old gold suffused yellow; F. same color boldly reticulated reddish purple at haft and down blade. These reticulations give flower great distinction. Very early. **$1.00**

Omaha (Sass, 1926). A very distinctive Iris of coppery pink and brownish cinnamon. 30 inches. **$0.25**

*__Opaline__ (Wmsn. 1930). A soft pinkish, strongly yellow flushed blend. A very lovely Iris admired by many. 36 inches. **$0.25**

Ophelia (Cay. 1925). A beautiful distinct and entirely novel coloring. S. golden coppery shaded heliotrope in the center. F. sulphur yellow shaded light heliotrope with golden copper markings. 30 inches. **$0.25**

Pacific (Essig, 1929). A splendid deep blue Iris of slow increase. Early bloomer. 38 inches. **$0.50**

Parthenon (Con. 1934). One of the loveliest of the new introductions. White, with the palest possible gold tint throughout the flower, and with pale yellow style arms, venation and beard. Tall and well branched. An exceptionally hardy and fine garden Iris. 40 inches. **$5.00**

Persia (Ayres, 1929). S. smoky blue; F. rich purple, blue in the center shading to much paler blue at the margin with dull gold markings at haft. Unique coloring. **$0.50**

Pervaneh (Mur. 1931). The flowers of exceptional substance and texture are the color of old ivory; F. faintly flushed greyish lavender at haft. Of fine form with broad segments. **$2.00**

Picador (Mor. 1928). A large variegata with S. buff gold to a base of mustard yellow; F. Mineral Red to Dahlia Carmine. A brilliant Iris. 40 inches. **$0.75**

Pink Jadu (Sturt. 1931). A plicata of soft lovely pink and white, delicate and charming. **$0.50**

Pink Jewel (Salb. 1933). Color pinkish lilac, with falls overlaid a glowing tourmaline pink. Increases rapidly and splendid for massing. Has unusually fine branching. **$0.50**

Pink Opal (Sass, J. 1934). A sister seedling of Pink Satin. Flowers are large, the stem rather short branched. 42 inches. **$1.50**

Pink Satin (Sass, J. 1930). H. M., A. I. S. A lovely lilac pink self with large finely shaped flowers. Has a rich satiny sheen. Tall. **$1.25**

Pluie d'Or (Cay. 1928). Dykes Medal. One of the finest yellow Iris. The flowers are richly toned, somewhat deeper than Gold Imperial, but they are larger and of finer form on tall well-branched stems. 36 inches. **$0.25**

Pres. Pilkington (Cay. 1933). C. M., S. N. H. F. An imposing Iris in size and height. S. pale buff with faint blue suffusion; F. wide and flaring, lavender blue with yellow buff at margin and yellow throat. A wonderful Iris, vigorous and sturdy. **$2.00**

Quivera (Sass, J. 1932). H. M., A. I. S. 1932. A blend of buff, pink yellow, orange and brown. Garden effect a reddish orange with yellow sheen. Very unusual and fine for the front of the border. 30 inches. **$0.50**

Rameses (Sass, H. P. 1929). Dykes Medal, A. I. S. 1922. S. light russet vinaceous with yellow glow through center; F. tourmaline pink, large apricot beard, branching stem. 36 inches. **$0.50**

*__Rasakura__ (Wmsn. 1930). Rose Purple bicolor but with the S. and F. not contrasting in shade. Vigorous, slightly fragrant. 32 inches tall. **$0.25**

Realm (Baker, 1920). An intense, pure, rich blue self with a conspicuous golden yellow beard. Best garden Iris of this color. 42 inches. **$0.25**

Red Radiance (Grint. 1932). H. M., A. I. S. 1932. A deeper red than Dauntless. S. pure glowing red, F. same shade, richly flushed velvety black. A vigorous grower. 38 inches. **$3.00**

Redwing (Sass, H. P.). Dark brownish red, very large flowers. Late. 36 inches. **$0.75**

Rhadi (Dykes, Mrs. W. R., 1928). Silver Gilt Medal, E. I. S. Large flowers of good substance. S. creamy white shaded blue gray, pale bronze reticulations. F. bronze shaded blue slightly deeper than S. Prominent old gold beard. **$0.75**

Rhages (Mead-Riedel, 1934). A lovely large violet plicata. A shapely flower of beautiful and distinct color. S. white tinged Light Hortense Violet; F. white dotted Deep Violet. Fragrant. 33 inches. **$4.00**

Rheingauperle (G. & K. 1924). A pink of the utmost beauty and distinction. Petals are edged silver. **$0.25**

Robert (Ayres-Emig. 1933). S. pale amber with a tan overcast. F. same with a pale blue flush at the center. Flowers are large and of exceptionally fine substance. 36 inches. **$10.00**

*__Romance__ (Mur. 1928). Silver Medal, London Iris Show; A. M., R. H. S. Beautifully formed flowers giving a general impression of a lustrous, satiny rosy-bronze. **$0.25**

Rose Dominion (Con. 1931). H. M., A. I. S. A beautiful deep rose-pink bicolor, with horizontal velvety F. Fragrant. 27 inches. **$1.00**

Rose of Cuba (Sass, J. 1932). A fine rose toned Iris of medium height and fine sized blooms. Has a beautiful satiny sheen. 32 inches. **$0.75**

Rose Marie (Cay. 1928). A vigorous late blooming Iris with flaring F.; S. light violet with greyish stately reflections; F. purplish red and gracefully frilled. 36 inches. **$0.35**

Rubeo (Mohr-Mit. 1931). S. deep glistening rose; F. broad, heavy texture of deep maroon. Wonderfully branched stem. 48 inches. Huge shapely flowers. **$2.25**

*__Sandakan__ (Wmsn. 1930). S. Pale Vinaceous Drab shot with yellowish and purplish reflections; F. Dahlia Purple; beard deep yellow. 36 inches. **$0.25**

Sandia (Wmsn. 1934). A bright and clean deep pink blend of heavy texture. Very lovely in mass or as an exhibition Iris. Well branched stems 39 inches tall. Floriferous and vigorous. **$4.00**

*__Sandrine__ (Cay. 1927). Another of Cayeux' giants, in size and stature. S. fawn brown shaded with heliotrope and the F. amaranth red shaded at the margins with rosy mauve. 42 inches. **$0.25**

Santa Barbara (Mohr-Mit. 1925). A very fine and lovely lavender blue that has spreading horizontal falls. 40 inches. **$0.25**

Santa Fe (Mohr-Mit. 1930). H. M., A. I. S. The palest blue almost white with horizontal falls. Fine substance and good form. **$0.50**

Selene (Con. 1928). H. M., A. I. S. A tall pure luminous white with yellow beard. Large flowers of heavy substance. Perfectly hardy. Very good. **$0.50**

*__Senlac__ (Bliss, 1929). Large intense claret red flowers on strong sturdy stems. Three feet. **$0.35**

Sensation (Cay. 1925). C. M., S. N. H. F. A finely formed Iris of a wonderful corn flower blue self. Large flowers on tall stems. **$0.75**

*__Seraph__ (Mur. 1929). A. M., Eng. A lovely buttercup yellow; F. are flaring and pencilled bronze. Beard rich chrome yellow. **$0.50**

Shah Jehan (Neel, 1932). Eng. bronze Medal. A glorious Iris of rich Oriental coloring. S. buff suffused grey fading to yellow as the flower ages. F. plum red with intense reddish brown flush at haft. Margined lavender buff. Very late. **$3.00**

Shiawassee (Burch. 1927). Velvety red purple bicolor. 30 inches. **$0.35**

Shining Waters (Essig, 1933). H. M., A. I. S., 1934; A. M., A. I. S. 1935. A medium blue self quite apart from all others. It is like the reflection of the blue sky in shining water. The firm wax like texture and perfect finish are enhanced by an orange beard. 40 inches. **$4.00**

Shirvan (Loomis, 1932). H. M., A. I. S. S. pale shade of lustrous brown with yellow tones prevailing. F. semi-flaring rich heavy red brown. Finely formed flower of exceptionally velvety texture. Very brilliant. **$2.50**

Shot Silk. (Mur. 1932). A rich satiny blend of pink and gold. A pinker Romance without the fuchsia blue. Free flowering with slender well branched stems. Fragrant. **$0.50**

Sierra Blue (Essig, 1932). H. M., A. I. S., 1933; Dykes Medal 1935. One of the new medium blue Irises coming to us from California. Has a refined finish and good substance. 36 inches. **$3.00**

Sirius (Bun. 1927). A. M., R. H. S. Somewhat more violet than Souv. de Mme. Gaudichau—really surpasses it as the color is fine and rich and does not fade in the sun. **$0.25**

Sir Michael (Yeld, 1925). A. M., R. H. S. S. clear lavender blue; F. a rich red purple strongly suffused red-brown, beard brilliant red gold. Flowers large and massive. Fragrant. 48 inches. **$0.35**

Snow White (Sturt. 1926). Pure white. Easily grown. 36 inches. **$0.35**

Solitaire (Nich. 1932). A fine shaped white of medium large size with brilliant yellow beard. Good substance and hardy. 38 inches. **$0.75**

Souv. de Loetitia Michaud (Mil. 1923). Lobelia blue shading to lighter blue at edges. Very large flowers of fine texture. 40 inches. **$0.35**

Stipples (Essig, 1928). A charming flower with bluish violet stippling splashed on its white F. and bluish S. 30 inches. **$0.35**

*Sumac (Wmsn. 1932). The flower has the carriage of a Dominion without the severe formality of a Dominion F. The general garden effect is a red purple, which is emphasized when grouped in mass. Fragrant. 39 inches. $0.50

Summer Cloud (Kirk. 1931). S. pale blue which change to a soft blue white like a cloud in the summer sky. F. sky blue. Large flowers whose loveliness must be seen to be appreciated. 36 inches. $1.00

Sundipt (Wmsn. 1934). A tall glowing yellow of fine form with a certain flare to the S. and F. A flower of wonderful carrying power. Excellently branched stems. Vigorous. 39 inches. $4.00

Sweet Sixteen (Lap. 1929). A ruffled flower of soft lavender pink. $0.35

Talisman (Mur. 1930). C. M., S. N. H. F. A very richly colored Iris that gives a golden apricot effect in mass. S. and F. rich iridescent golden yellow faintly suffused and flushed violet pink more deeply in the F. than S. Electric blue flush down center of falls. Beard golden yellow. Fragrant. 32 inches. $0.50

*Talwar (Wmsn. 1930). A red self with distinct Dominion characteristics S. Rood's Violet; F. Raisin Purple. Beard Deep Chrome. Large flowers of fine form. Fragrant. Early. 30 inches. $0.25

Tokay (Nich. 1931). A beautiful blend of soft pink tones. Both S. and F. are a lovely pink blended with clear yellow in the center. A wonderful doer, profuse bloomer and one of the prettiest of this type. 36 inches. $0.35

*Toscana (Counterman, 1932). A very unique colored Iris. The flowers are gracefully carried and the general garden effect is a sulphine yellow. A deeper, richer, glorified Vesper Gold. Fragrant. Vigorous and very floriferous. 36 inches. $2.00

Trail's End (Wmsn.-Patt. 1934). H. M., A. I. S. 1933. S. dull yellow overlaid soft orange-red, and the F. "remind one of the berry of the bittersweet after it has been touched by frost." A strong grower and good bloomer. 36 inches. $8.00

*Trostringer (Sass, 1926). A lovely soft pink-toned variety that is nearly a white-flushed pink. Slightly deeper color than Caroline E. Stringer with flowers larger and better arranged. $0.25

True Delight (Sturt. 1924). A pure pink plicata. S. and F. purest white with pure rose pink venation and style arms. Free growing and floriferous. Sweet pea fragrance. 36 inches. $0.35

Tuscany Gold (Wmsn. 1929). The general effect is a distinct reddish gold color. S. Sulphine Yellow, clearer and deeper yellow at the base, shading upward to deeply tinged purplish at the margin; F. colored as S. but more purple. 32 inches. $0.35

Uncle Remus (Essig, 1928). Deep mulberry purple self of fine form and texture. 36 inches. $0.35

Valencia (Mohr-Mit. 1926). A beautiful bright orange buff self. Good formed flower on 18 inch stems. $0.25

Valor (Nich. 1932). Very large blooms of fine form. S. blue violet; F. Fluorite violet shading to raisin purple. Fragrant. $2.00

Van Cleve (Van Name, 1928). A. M., A. I. S. A tall well-branched variety of the deepest purple color, with velvety falls. Fragrant. **$0.25**

Varese (Wmsn. 1935). The most brilliant red purple Iris with a fine globular form and wonderful substance. Wonderful for the garden because of its great carrying power. S. Rosolane Purple; F. Dahlia Purple. 37 inches. **$7.50**

Veloute (Vilm. 1924). Blue purple bicolor. **$0.35**

Venus de Milo (Ayres, 1931). H. M., A. I. S. 1932; A. M., A. I. S. 1935. A white Dominion seedling on tall branching stems. The flowers are a rich creamy white of smooth finished texture with yellow beard. 30 inches. **$1.00**

Violet Crown (Kirk. 1931). A very large flower of unusual and most attractive pale violet shades. It may be described as a misty purple. Form of flower is perfect and its substance exceptionally fine. 40 inches. **$1.75**

Wabash (Wmsn. 1936). See page 3. **$10.00**

Wambliska (Sass, 1931). The flowers are large, perfectly formed and pure white with a bluish sheen through the haft. Pale yellow beard and a few yellow stripes on throat of F. 38 inches. **$0.75**

Wasatch (Thorup, 1935). The largest plicata yet introduced. Of pure glistening white evenly marked with medium blue. Plicata marking very pronounced in the bud, and the opened flower has no dark brown or other markings. The excellently formed flowers are of heavy substance that withstand wind and rain. 40 inches. **$12.00**

Wedgwood (Dykes, 1923). Large flower of rich Wedgwood China blue with a striking white beard. 42 inches. **$0.25**

Western Skies (Essig, 1929). A fine silky pale blue, large flowers of good substance. **$0.25**

White and Gold (Nich. 1928). Satiny white with a brilliant gold beard. Of good form and size. Perfectly hardy. **$0.25**

Winneshiek (Egel. 1931). Large blooms and one of the best deep blue blacks we have seen. **$1.00**

W. R. Dykes (Dykes, 1926). This is probably the most remarkable yellow Iris on the market. The S. are tall, dome shaped and frilled. The F. are long and broad of great thickness and the surface of the flower is crinkled. Flowers of richest golden yellow with the falls lightly flecked violet. **$1.50**

*__Yataghan__ (Wmsn. 1930). A dark purplish red, a richer Geo. J. Tribolet Beard Deep Chrome. Fragrant. Very attractive. Three feet. **$0.25**

Yellow Pearl (Salb. 1931). Pale primrose yellow with a pearly sheen. The flowers are well rounded with heavy texture. Floriferous. 44 inches. **$0.50**

Yves Lassailly (Cay. 1928). C. M., S. N. H. F. An Iris with finely formed flowers of great texture. A delightful note in the garden. S. pure white and F. the same with a suffusion of soft sky blue. Three feet. **$0.25**

Crested and Beardless Iris

Cristata. A beautifully crested, woodland species. It is dwarf, the flowers almost stemless, dainty, light lilac in color marked with white, orange and darker lilac. Useful in the rock garden. **$0.35**

Dorothea K. Williamson (Wmsn. 1918). A hybrid of the beardless species fulva and foliosa. Large velvety flowers of the most vivid purple. Thirty inches. Generally considered one of the very finest of the beardless Iris. Fine as a cut flower. It requires a moister situation than bearded Iris. **$0.25**

Ensata. A native of Central Asia to Korea. A very handsome little soft-lavender flower that blooms about the same time as the Dwarf Bearded Iris, the dainty flowers nestling down among the foliage. Twelve inches. **$0.25**

Foliosa. A native beardless Iris. Large flowers of violet blue carried very close to the ground on short angular stems. Does best in damp woodland soil, but will do well in rich garden loam. **$0.25**

Fulva. A beardless Iris from the southern United States. Flat flowers of coppery red on upright stems 15-18 inches high. Prefers a moist situation. **$0.25**

Graminea. A native beardless Iris of Southern Europe. Very fragrant. A very pretty little grass leaved variety that blooms well in full shade. The individual flowers of reddish violet last several days in good condition. Fine for rock gardens. Ten inches. **$0.25**

Hyacinthiana. A native of Kansu, China. Soft blue and sulphur yellow, with brown venations. Hyacinth scented. **$0.25**

Orchioides. Bulbous Iris. A native of Eastern Bokhara. Blooms very early. The blooms are rich deep yellow, very dainty. Foliage looks like a miniature cornstalk, with flowers at the top and in the axil of each leaf. The leaves are very glossy deep green, wide and down curving. Twelve inches. **$0.75**

Pseudacorus. A beardless Iris native to Europe. Strong foliage and flowers of brightest yellow. Suited to moist locations. **$0.25**

Pseudacorus gigantea. A giant flowered form of Pseudacorus. **$0.25**

Versicolor. A common beardless species in the eastern northern United States. Variable in color, generally a light purple with yellow, white and purple on the haft. **$0.25**

Virginica. This is the common wild marsh or swamp Iris in Indiana. Similar in color to or lighter than Versicolor. **$0.25**

Shipping time—Late fall or early spring.

Siberian Iris

These Iris are tall with slender stems and narrow, grass-like foliage. They are among the best for cut flowers. The plants do well in a moist location as well as in any good garden location.

Caesar (Morg. 1925). Very dark blue. The petals are broad and straight hanging. 48 inches. **$0.50**

Emperor. A. M., R. H. S. A beautiful Iris with deep violet blue flowers. **$0.25**

Kingfisher Blue (Wallace, 1924). Very bright sky blue, lighter and brighter in shade than Perry's Blue, with much broader F. and less reticulation. Large flowers. Four feet. **$0.25**

Llewellyn (Cleveland, 1929). Large flowers of a most unusual shade of soft blue. Very distinct. 46 inches. **$1.00**

Periwinkle (Cleveland, 1926). Big, brilliant blue, the F. having white venations to brown and green throat. Styles have turquoise midrib. 40 inches. **$0.75**

Perry's Blue (Perry, 1912). A. M., R. H. S. Large well-formed flowers of a clear shade of sky blue with white markings on the F. 42 inches. **$0.25**

Shipping Time—Late fall or early spring.

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Six interesting new iris are described on pages 3 and 4—be sure to add at least one of them to your collection.

Standard Varieties

15c each

$1.00 per dozen for *any one variety*

Orders under $2.00 must include 25c postage

*Alcanna—red brown, tall.
*Alcazar—purple bicolor.
Alfhem—tall dark blue.
Alpenglow—plum bicolor.
*Amanecer—pink, yellow blend.
Ambassadeur—brown bicolor, late.
Amber—deep yellow. Three feet.
Anne Leslie—S. pink; F. carmine.
Ann Page—light blue lavender.
*Anosia—brown bicolor, late.
*Aphrodite—violet pink, tall.
*Archeveque—red purple, fragrant.
*Argynnis—S. yellow; F. carmine.
*Avatar—light yellow and violet.
*Azurine—light silvery blue.
Beau Ideal—white bordered violet.
*Bluet—pale blue self, early.
Brenthis—violet bicolor.
*Cadenza—pink lavender and cream.
*Cantabile—white and violet.
Caprice—magenta, fragrant.
*Carnival—blend.
Cassandre Cayeux.—lavender and garnet.
*Cavatina—satiny lavender and old gold.
Celeste—azure blue, 30 inches.
*Chalcedony—pinkish lavender
*Chalice—clear soft yellow.
*Chartier—white.
Chasseur—late yellow.
*Cheyenne—dark red purple.
Chianti—reddish violet.
*Citronella—yellow; F. streaked red.
*Colias—yellow, three feet.
Corrida—light blue, late.
Crusader—violet blue.
Dalila—S. flesh; F. purple.
Delight—white, orchid heart.
*Distinctive—rose and yellow blend.
*Dream—soft lilac pink.
Duke of Bedford—rich violet purple.
*Duke of York—soft blue.
Dusk—S. lavender; F. deep maroon.
Elizabeth Egelberg—light mauve pink.

*Varieties marked thus may be purchased in quantities at the following rate: **$2.00 per 25; $6.00 per 100**; express collect.

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Standard Varieties

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*Elsinore — primrose yellow and pink.
Endymion—light buff blend.
*Fernande—reddish mauve.
*Flamingo—rosy red. Fine.
*Folkwang—S. rosy pink; F. claret red.
Fra Angelico — bronzy gold; F. overlaid lavender.
Gaviota—pale yellow plicata.
*Geo. J. Tribolet—deep red purple. Fine.
*Georgia—orchid pink, early.
*Golden Glory—yellow. Three feet.
*Gold Imperial—golden.
*Grandiosa—large blue bicolor.
Grapta—brown bicolor.
*Griselda—S. grey; F. purple.
*Grisette—silky brown violet blend.
Harmony—deep blue self.
*Heyday—S. mustard; F. Vandyke Red.
Hesperis—brown bicolor.
*Hiamovi—large lavender violet.
*Hydromel—S. bronzed yellow; F. dark mahogany.
Iduna—S. creamy; F. violet blue.
Imperator—red.
Ivanhoe—grey blue bicolor.
*Jane Williamson — pink pastel blend.
*Jubilee—buff plicata.
King Karl—S. pinkish cinnamon; F. cream speckled purple.
*Labor—coppery red.
*La Neige—white, late, two feet.
*Lent A. Williamson—violet purple.
Lerema—red purple.
Leverrier—pansy violet bicolor.
Lindbergh—S. light blue; F. violet.
*Lona—pale violet plicata.
Lord Lambourne—fawn and crimson.
Lord of June—light lavender blue.
Loudoun—deep cream dotted amber.
*Lycaena—S. white; F. purple.
Majestic—S. light blue; F. blue purple.
Mary Gibson—old rose and bronze.
*Mary Williamson—white and purple.
*Medrano—smoky wine red.
*Mildred Presby—white and violet.
Mme. Cheri—pink, blue, yellow blend.
Mme. Chobaut—pale yellow veined brown.
Moa—S. violet; F. pansy violet.
Moonlight—S. pale yellow, early.
*Morning Splendor—deep red purple.
Mother of Pearl—bluish lavender.
Mrs. Alan Gray—pinkish lilac.
*Mrs. Marion Cran—purplish old rose.
*Murillo—rosy violet. 28 inches.
*Muscatel—wine purple.
*Nathalis—pinkish lavender.
Ochracea—gold and lavender blend.
Old Gold—yellow plicata.
*Onyx—cream and violet.
*Opera—red purple, 26 inches.
*Pioneer—red purple.
*Primrose—medium yellow, 30 in.
*Princess Beatrice—silvery blue lavender.
Princess Osra—white peppered bluish.
*Prospero—S. lavender; F. red purple.
*Queen Caterina — pale lavender violet.
Rajput—large violet self, fine.
Ramona—lavender, brown blend.

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Standard Varieties

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Reverie—S. cream flushed pink; F. deep rose.
*Rhea—a darker Isoline.
Rheintraube—violet bicolor.
Robt. W. Wallace—rich deep violet.
*Romola—S. pale lilac; F. velvety red violet.
Segovia—blue purple self, 38 in.
*Seminole—rosy red, 27 inches.
Sherwin Wright—deep golden yellow.
*Silver Ribbon—pinkish, 30 inches.
*Sonata—buff and lilac blend.
Sophronia—early white.
*Souv. de Mme. Gaudichau—purple.
*Susan Bliss—rose pink, purplish sheen.
*Taj Mahal—white.
Tenebrae—rich violet purple bicolor.
Terias—deep coppery pink.
*Thecla—S. mauve; F. purple, late.
Thrudwang — deep yellow and plum.
Titan—violet bicolor.
*Tropic Seas—deep purple.
*True Charm—white margined blue lavender.
*Tuscarora—light red.
*Vesper Gold—yellow blend.
Vingolf—S. cream flushed rose; F. violet.
White Knight—white, two feet.
*White Queen—white.
*Wild Rose—delicate rosy pink.
*Woodland—chinese violet self.
*Yellow Moon—very pale yellow.
Yellowstone — straw yellow and purple.
*Yvonne Pelletier — pale lavender blue.
*Zada—white, tall.
*Zamora—magenta, three feet.

*Varieties marked thus may be purchased in quantities at the following rate: **$2.00 per 25; $6.00 per 100**; express collect.

Peonies

JAPANESE PEONIES

8.5 **Alma** (Shaylor, 1916). Light pink, canary yellow petaloids. Strong stems and good foliage. Midseason. **$0.50**

9.3 **Isani Gidui.** Very large pure white flowers with center of rich buff yellow. Moderately tall, vigorous, crinkled foliage. Midseason. **$2.50**

9.4 **Tamate-Boku.** Enormous cupped petals of dark old rose-pink. Medium height. Strong stems. Midseason. Considered the finest Japanese Peony. **$8.00**

SINGLE PEONIES

8.5 **Black Prince** (Thurlow, 1915). Large deep crimson with a dull satiny sheen. Medium height, stiff stems with excellent foliage. Midseason. **$1.25**

8.6 **Le Jour** (Shaylor, 1915). Very large white with center of golden yellow stamens. Tall, very floriferous; strong, erect stems. Early midseason. **$1.00**

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8.4 **L'Etincelante** (Dessert, 1905). Very large flowers of very bright pink, each petal having nearly a silver border. Stamens bright golden yellow. Tall, floriferous, strong stems. Midseason. **$1.00**

8.9 **Pride of Langport** (Kelway, 1909). Very large, pale rose-pink, very bright golden yellow stamens. Tall, floriferous; thin wiry stems. Midseason. **$1.00**

DOUBLE PEONIES

8.8 **Alsace Lorraine** (Lemoine, 1906). Pointed white petals suffused with a golden light from the stamens suggesting a water lily. Tall and vigorous grower. Late midseason. **$0.75**

8.7 **Auguste Dessert** (Dessert, 1920). Cup shaped flowers of fine form velvety crimson-carmine, very brilliant with silvery reflex and silvery border. Midseason. **$1.00**

9.0 **Baroness Schroeder** (Kelway, 1889). Very large pale flesh white, tinted cream flowers. Tall, strong stems, excellent foliage. Late midseason. **$0.50**

8.7 **Claire Dubois** (Crousse, 1886). Bright mauve pink, with much blue, almost a mauve pink, paling towards the tips of petals whose serrated edges give the flower a crisp appearance. Very large blooms. Late. **$1.00**

8.7 **Elwood Pleas** (Pleas, 1900). Large flat flower with crinkled petals. Pale pink-rose changing to light flesh pink. Late. **$0.50**

8.3 **Eugene Verdier** (Calot, 1864). A high built compact, large flower usually developing a decided crown. General color effect is light shell-pink tinted cream. **$0.75**

8.5 **Exquisite** (Kelway, 1912). Light pink semi-double flowers; medium large flowers on graceful stems. Early midseason. **$1.00**

8.8 **Gene Stratton Porter** (Rosenfield, 1925). Cup shaped white flowers with incurving petals growing shorter toward the center. **$1.25**

8.7 **James Kelway** (Kelway, 1900). Pale pink becoming almost white with age but retaining a slight flush on outer petals and in center, and displaying a slight yellow tint from intermixed stamens. Very large flowers. Early midseason. **$1.00**

8.8 **Karl Rosenfield** (Rosenfield, 1908). Large, very bright crimson. Tall, free flowering, strong stems. Midseason. **$0.50**

9.8 **Kelway's Glorious** (Kelway, 1909). White with a creamy suffusion in depths, crimson streaks on outside of guard petals, and occasionally a few faint crimson edges in center. Very large. Midseason. **$1.50**

9.1 **Lady Alexandra Duff** (Kelway, 1902). Pale blush pink, almost white blooms borne in clusters. Large flowers. Midseason. **$1.00**

9.9 **Le Cygne** (Lemoine, 1907). The finest white, very large flowers. Medium height. Early. **$1.50**

8.4 **Lora Dexheimer** (Brand, 1913). Large bright crimson. Medium height, strong stems, floriferous. Midseason. **$0.75**

9.1 **Martha Bullock** (Brand, 1907). Bright old-rose pink, with highlights of lighter rose and pink, faint rose-like fragrance. Very large blooms. Late. **$1.50**

8.7 **Mary Brand** (Brand, 1907). Dark clear crimson with a very brilliant sheen. Large flowers. Midseason. **$0.75**

8.9 **Mme. Emile Lemoine** (Lemoine, 1899). Large milk white with crimson streaks on outer petals. Tall, strong stems. Midseason. **$0.75**

9.2 **Mons. Jules Elie** (Crousse, 1888). Very large, light rose-pink with silvery sheen. Tall, early. **$0.50**

8.8 **Mons. Martin Cahuzac** (Dessert, 1899). Large maroon-crimson with a silky, black luster. Medium height, erect stiff stems. Early midseason. **$0.75**

9.3 **Mrs. Edward Harding** (Shaylor, 1918). White illuminated by many golden stamens hidden under the petals and by a bright tuft of them in the center when fully open. Midseason. **$2.00**

8.5 **Opal** (Pleas, 1908). Large pale rose-pink becoming almost white when fully open. Medium height, floriferous. Midseason. **$0.50**

9.2 **Philippe Rivoire** (Riviere, 1911). Small very dark crimson with a blackish sheen. Richly rose-scented. Medium height, floriferous, wiry stems. Early. **$1.00**

7.7 **Philomele** (Cabot, 1861). Anemone type. Medium size dark old rose shading to buff. Floriferous, strong stems. Early. **$0.75**

8.6 **Primevere** (Lemoine, 1907). A flattish flower with creamy white cupped guards rarely splashed with red. One of the very best of the so-called yellows. Midseason. **$2.00**

9.0 **Sarah Bernhardt** (Lemoine, 1906). Very large dark rose-pink, edge a trifle lighter. Medium height, floriferous, strong stems. Late. **$0.50**

9.7 **Solange** (Lemoine, 1907). Large, compact, globular form, creamy white with a suffusion of buff and pale salmon pink. Medium height. Late. **$1.00**

9.8 **Therese** (Dessert, 1904). Very large long petals of pale, translucent old rose-pink. Medium height, floriferous, strong stems. Midseason. **$0.75**

9.4 **Tourangelle** (Dessert, 1910). A compact almost bomb-like flower, pale cream white with a tan suffusion in the depths, toning to flesh pink in the center. One of the most beautiful of all peonies. Late. **$1.00**

9.3 **Walter Faxon** (Richardson, 1904). Vivid shell pink of a luminous intensity unique in peonies. Medium height, good stem. Midseason. **$0.75**

Peonies can be shipped only in the Fall.

Orders under $2.00 must include 25c for postage.

Hemerocallis---Day Lilies

Apricot (Yeld). A. M., R. H. S. Light orange flower of medium size; excellent form; blooms in May. Day flowering. Fragrant. 2 ft. **$0.35**

Calypso (Burbank). Clear lemon-yellow flowers of large size. Very popular. Night flowering. July-August. 3½ ft. **$0.50**

Flava. Clear lemon yellow; fragrant. Day flowering. May-June. 3 ft. **$0.25**

Geo. Yeld (Perry). Large open petals; petals flushed and mottled orange-scarlet, sepals of rich orange. July-August. 3 ft. **$1.75**

Golden Bell (Ruys) Large flowers of soft apricot orange with darker throat, recurved petals, fluted. Fine substance. July-August. 3 ft. **$1.25**

Margaret Perry. Well branched spikes with brilliant orange scarlet flowers lined with yellow and yellow in cup of flower. Very floriferous. July-August. 4 ft. **$0.75**

Middendorfi. Orange-yellow flowers. Day flowering. June. 2 ft. **$0.25**

Mikado (Stout). Flowers of a striking color, the large spot of mahogany-red in each petal contrasting sharply with the rich orange of the rest of the flower. June-July. 3 ft. **$3.00**

Orange Man. Medium sized flowers of clear orange. Good dwarf variety. June-July. 2 ft. **$0.75**

Queen of May. Deep yellow flowers with tips faint reddish orange. Wide open flower; fluted. June-July. 2½ ft. **$0.75**

Sovereign. A. M., R. H. S. Medium orange-yellow flowers. Day flowering. Very fine. July. 2½ ft. **$0.50**

Tangerine. Deep orange; fine for rock garden. June. 2 ft. **$2.00**

Thunbergi. Pale yellow; night flowering. August. 3 ft. **$0.25**

Winsome (Yeld). A. M., R. H. S. Pleasing yellow tone. One of Mr. Yeld's finest. June-July. 3 ft. **$1.75**

Shipping Time—August.

Meanings of Iris Names

Many of our friends have asked the origin, meaning and significance of the names given Williamson Iris. So here are the explanations for nearly all of them—we hope you'll find them interesting:

Adobe—An unburnt brick dried in the sun or a house of such bricks. The Pueblo Indians of the southwest are famous for their **adobe** houses with strings of red peppers hanging from their protruding beams.

Alcanna—Henna: a reddish orange dye obtained from leaves of the plant which is an Asiatic thorny lythraceous tree or shrub with fragrant white flowers used by Buddhists and Mohammedans in religious ceremonies.

Alpenglow—A reddish glow seen at sunset or sunrise on the summit of mountains.

Amanecer—Spanish word meaning "to dawn."

Amigo—Spanish word meaning "friend or comrade." The name was suggested by Mrs. J. E. Hires in memory of E. B. Williamson.

Andante—Musical term meaning "moving." A tempo-mark indicating a moderately slow, easily flowing movement between adagio and allegretto.

Anosia—A genus of butterflies that range through shades of red brown.

Argynnis—A genus of butterflies of fulvous coloring with dark brown markings.

Avatar—Hindu Myth: The descent of a deity to earth and his incarnation as a man or an animal.

Azurine—Sky blue or azure.

Barbarian—Man in a rude, uncivilized state.

Beau Sabreur—French meaning "beautiful swordsman." A character in novel by Christopher P. Wren.

Bergama—A city of Asiatic Turkey, situated in a beautiful and fertile valley on the right bank of the Caicus, about 40 miles N. E. of Smyrna. In early times, the city was the capitol of the kingdom of Pergamus. Many ruins still exist to attest the former magnificence of Bergama.

Brenthis—A genus of butterflies resembling Argynnis but smaller.

Bunting—Named for the Indigo Bunting which is a small indigo blue bird.

Cadenza—In a vocal solo, a brilliant passage, usually at the end.

Cantabile—Musical term meaning "singable."

Cantata—A vocal work with instrumental accompaniment, consisting of choruses and solos, recitatives, duets, etc. Shorter than an oratorio.

Carnival—Any merry making, feasting or masquerading.

Castalia—A fountain on Mt. Parnassus sacred to Apollo and the Muses.

Cavatina—A song, particularly a short aria without second section.

Chalcedony—A translucent variety of quartz, commonly pale blue or gray with waxlike lustre.

Chamita—Mexican word meaning "where the water went below."

Cheyenne—Indian name meaning "red." One of a warlike Algonquin Tribe of Indians formerly inhabiting S. Dak., Wyo., and Colo. but now mostly on reservations in Okla. and Mont. They are noted for their horsemanship.

Chianti—A dry red piquant wine from the region of the Chianti Mts., in Tuscany, Italy.

Cimarron—A fugitive slave. In the Western U. S. it is the name for the bighorn. And in the West Indies a wild dog is called Cimarron.

Cinnabar—Oriental origin: mercuric sulphide occurring in brilliant red crystals and also in red or brownish masses. It is the only important oil of mercury.

Colias—A genus of butterflies ranging through shades of light yellow.

Decennial—The Iris was named in honor of the tenth anniversary of the founding of the American Iris Society.

Dolly Madison—Wife of the fourth President of the U. S., James Madison. A lady of extraordinary beauty and rare accomplishments. She was a Quaker, hence the Iris was named for her as it was a glorified "Quaker Lady."

Dorothea K. Williamson—Mother of E. B. Williamson.

Dorothy Dietz—Named for Mrs. Harry Dietz of Wooster, Ohio who spent many a spring at Longfield helping to sort seedlings.

Equipoise—The word means "balance equally." Named for the famous race horse.

Ethel Peckham—Mrs. Wheeler H. Peckham, was formerly director of the American Iris Society and Editor of the A. I. S. "Check List."

Flamingo—So called because of its allusion to the color flame. An aquatic bird. The American species which is now rare, ranges north to the extreme southern U. S. It has bright red plumage.

Friar Tuck—A fat and jovial friar. A constant associate of Robin Hood, to whom he acted as father confessor. He is introduced in Scott's "Ivanhoe."

Gaucho—One of the native inhabitants of the pampas of the Argentine, of mixed Spanish and Indian descent. They are restless cattle breeders and marauders. Their dress is quite colorful—the men wear brilliant serapis.

Gay Hussar—A hussar was formerly one of the light cavalry of Hungary and Crotia; now one of a class of cavalry of European armies usually distinguished by a brilliant and much decorated uniform, of which the dolman and the busby are generally conspicuous features.

Geo. J. Tribolet—Mrs. E. B. Williamson's brother who took a great interest in the Iris at Longfield and whose encouragement and help was never failing.

Grapta—A genus of butterflies of fulvous coloring with brown markings.

Griselda—A lady in old romance, proverbial for her virtue and her patience. Her story is told in Boccaccio's "Decameron." Chaucer borrowed it as the subject of his "Clerk's Tale" and it has been used in various plays and poems.

Grisette—A French young woman or girl of the working class of lively and free manners but not necessarily immoral character. They were so called because they wore gray woolens made of this stuff.

Hesperis—Pertains to evening.

Heyday—The time of highest strength, vigor, or bloom, acme, hence, joy, high spirits, frolicsomeness, wildness.

Hiamovi—A word from Dakota Indians meaning "High Chief."

Hobo— A professional tramp.

Hyacinthus—A beautiful youth beloved by Apollo and killed by the latter, through an unlucky throw by discus (or, according to another version, out of jealousy). From his blood Apollo caused the hyacinth to spring up.

Hydromel—A liquor consisting of honey diluted in water and after fermentation called mead.

Illuminator—A spiritual enlightener, an inspirer.

Jane Williamson—Third daughter of E. B. Williamson.

Jinny Sue—Named for Virginia Sue McConnell. An attractive little girl with red blond hair.

Kinglet—Named for the Golden Crown Kinglet, a small brownish bird; crown orange and yellow, bordered black.

Kublai Khan—The grand khan of the Mongols and Emperor of China; overcame the Song dynasty and established the Yuen (the first foreign race of kings to rule in China). His dominions extended from Frozen Ocean to strait of Malacca and from Corea to Asia Minor. Marco Polo visited his court. He died in 1294.

Lent A. Williamson—Father of E. B. Williamson.

Lerema—A genus of butterflies of dark blackish brown coloring.

Lycaena—A genus of butterflies ranging from whites through blues.

Mareschel Ney—The celebrated marshal of the first French Empire. Had a brilliant and interesting service under Napoleon. After the battle of Waterloo he was shot for high treason by the King's men.

Margaret Anne—Named for Margaret Anne Clippinger of Indianapolis, Ind..

Mary Williamson—Second daughter of E. B. Williamson.

Monal—The name is applied to the Impeyan pheasant by the natives, which means "bird of gold." It is found in the colder and more elevated regions of India. The head is crested, plumage of the male, most brilliant, changing metallic hues, green, steel blue, violet and golden bronze. Female and young are brown mottled with grey and yellow.

Muscatel—A rich sweet wine produced in France, Italy and other countries from the muscat grapes.

Nathalis—A genus of small butterflies that are yellow with black margins.

Nightshade—The darkness of night.

Onyx—A veined gem: chalcedony in parallel layers of different shades of color.

Opaline—An opaline variety of yellow chalcedony, like an opal in coloring.

Pewee—A small bird belonging to the flycatcher family. Has a distinct call —"pee-wee."

Rasakura—Pawnee Indian word meaning "Rays of Sun."

Rhea—"Mother of the Gods." Apparently the oldest seat of her worship was Crete. Rhea was identified by the Greeks with Cybele and is regarded as a local form of the great nature goddess.

Sandakan—British seaport in North Borneo.

Sandia—Mexican word meaning "watermelon."

Segovia—City of Spain, home of the Alcazar and home of the grand aqueduct, most important Roman structure in Spain.

Siskin—Is also called Pine Finch. A small bird of brownish coloring with darker stripings; yellow on tail and wings.

Sonata—An instrumental composition in three or four extended movements contrasted in theme, tempo and mood, usually for a solo instrument.

Sumac—A shrub valuable for its content of tonic acids.

Talwar—A sword of India or a wooden scythe.

Terias—A genus of butterflies ranging from shades of pale yellow to deep fulvous.

Thecla—A genus of butterflies, some of the species ranging through shades of blue.

Titmouse—A small brownish bird with black forehead and crested head. They swing from the ends of twigs in all manner of positions.

Tuscany Gold—Tuscany is a compartemento of Italy.

Tuscarora—One of the tribe of Irioquoisan Indians formerly living on the Neuse and Tar Rivers in North Carolina. It was conquered in 1713 and the remnant joined the Five Nations forming the six Nations. It is now settled about equally in N. Y. and Ontario.

Varese—Italian garden, 1770-80 where were cultivated all plants mentioned in Virgil's works.

Vesper Gold—Evening sunset gold.

Wabash—The name according to J. P. Dunn is an abbreviation of the Miami name for stream—Wa-ba-shi-ki or Wa-pa-shi-ki meaning bright white and referring to the limestone bed of the stream in its upper course.

Yataghan—A long knife or short saber, without a crosspiece, common among Mohammedans usually having a double curve to the edge and the back nearly straight.

Yellow Rail—A small American rail in which lower parts are dull yellow, darkest on breast. The back is streaked with brownish yellow and black and spotted with white.

Zamora—A city in Spain.

Zingara—A gypsy who wears an orange shawl.

Zinc Labels

We have had so many requests for zinc labels like the ones we furnish with our Iris plants that we have arranged to furnish 75 of these, copper wired, prepaid for $1.25. Recipes for indelible ink and directions for writing on the zinc accompany each package of labels.

Join the American Iris Society

Every gardener interested in Iris should join that great company of flower enthusiasts comprising the American Iris Society. Each new member receives four valuable booklets each year, recording the development of this charming flower. Your membership will help you in planning your garden picture, will assist you in appraising more surely the value of new introductions.

Membership costs $3.00 per year. You may add that amount to the order you send us for Iris, designating it for Iris society membership, and we'll take care of the rest. Or you may send your remittance with a letter of application to the Secretary of the Society, Mr. B. Y. Morrison, 821 Washington Loan & Trust Bldg., Washington, D. C.

Identifying Flowers Sent by Mail

Every year we receive a number of packages containing Iris flowers to be named. We are sorry it is impossible to do this with any accuracy or certainty. Such flowers have always been received in poor or very bad condition and the number of named varieties and unnamed seedlings in gardens is so great that identifications based on such wilted or rotted flowers are utterly untrustworthy. Such unnamed plants may be named by some expert who visits your garden or you can take freshly cut stalks to an Iris show or to some good garden for comparison. We do not believe it is worth while sending such flowers by mail to be named.

Gypsum

Gypsum has been found useful in the treatment of rhizome rot, but it is not always easily available, especially in small communities. If you want gypsum, enclose a stamped return envelope to Gypsum Association, 211 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois, and they will tell you the nearest point where gypsum may be obtained.